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Israel Suggests Apology Is Enough For Eichmann

BUENOS AIRES, Argentina, July 3 (AP) — Israel has asked Argentina to consider an apology by Foreign Minister Golda Meir adequate reparation for the clandestine removal of Adolf Eichmann.

An "emotional note" from the Argentine government again urged Argentina to "allow the wartime Nazi criminal" to be returned to Israel. Jewish leaders had urged him there in May, and had asked him to go to Israel for trial on charges that he played a major role in the extermination of 6 million European Jews.

A United Nations Security Council resolution June 23 said the "seizure" of Eichmann violated Argentina's sovereignty and recommended that Israel make "adequate" reparations. The council did not call for the return of "Eichmann" as Argentina had first demanded.

The United States commented that it was up to Argentina to make arrangements to the Security Council urging that Argentina accept the apologized to Argentina and return the criminal to Israel. The note also stressed that Eichmann will be tried in Israel for trial.

Argentina officials had no immediate comment on the note from Jerusalem.

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